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BEFORE THE ARIZONA CORPORATION COMMISSION

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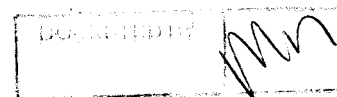
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IN THE MATTER OF THE JOINT APPLICATION
OF VERIZON CALIFORNIA, INC., VERIZON
LONG DISTANCE, LLC, VERIZON
ENTERPRISES SOLUTIONS, LLC, FRONTIER
COMMUNICATIONS CORPORATION, NEW
COMMUNICATIONS OF THE SOUTHWEST,
INC. AND NEW COMMUNICATIONS ONLINE
AND LONG DISTANCE, INC. FOR APPROVAL
OF THE TRANSFER OF VERIZON'S LOCAL
EXCHANGE AND LONG DISTANCE BUSINESS.

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PROCEDURAL ORDER

BY THE COMMISSION:

On May 29, 2009, Verizon California, Inc.; Verizon Long Distance, LLC; Verizon Enterprises Solutions; Frontier Communications Corporation; New Communications of the Southwest, Inc.; and New Communications Online and Long Distance, Inc. (collectively, the "Applicants") filed with the Arizona Corporation Commission ("Commission") a joint application for approval of the transfer of Verizon Communications, Inc.'s local exchange and long distance services, provided in Arizona by Verizon California, Inc., to companies to be owned and controlled by Frontier Communications Corporation.

By Procedural Order dated July 15, 2009, the Commission's Utilities Division Staff ("Staff") was scheduled to file its testimony no later than September 15, 2009.

On September 15, 2009, Staff filed a Request for Extension of Time to File Staff Testimony until September 21, 2009 ("Request") and on September 15, 2009, a Procedural Order was issued granting Staff's Request.

On September 21, 2009, Staff filed its Direct Testimony.

By Procedural Order dated July 15, 2009, the Applicants were scheduled to file their Rebuttal Testimony to Staff's Direct Testimony no later than September 29, 2009.

On September 24, 2009, the Applicants filed a Joint Request for Extension of Time to File Rebuttal Testimony until October 5, 2009 ('Joint Request'). Staff does not object to the Joint Request. Accordingly, the Applicants' Request should be granted.

The July 15, 2009, Procedural Order also directed Staff to file its Surrebuttal Testimony no later than October 14, 2009. Since the Applicants are being granted additional time to file their Rebuttal Testimony, it is reasonable to allow Staff additional time, if needed, to file its Surrebuttal Testimony. Accordingly, Staff shall file its Surrebuttal Testimony no later than October 19, 2009.


IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that the Applicants' Joint Request for Extension of Time to File **Rebuttal Testimony until October 5, 2009**, is hereby granted.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Staff shall file its **Surrebuttal Testimony** no later than **October 19, 2009**.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Ex Parte Rule (A.A.C. R14-3-113-Unauthorized Communications) applies to this proceeding as the matter is now set for public hearing.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Presiding Officer may rescind, alter, amend, or waive any portion of this Procedural Order either by subsequent Procedural Order or by ruling at hearing.

DATED this 25th day of September, 2009.


BELINDA A. MARTIN
ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE

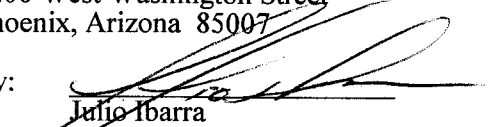
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